

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

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STATEMENT OF GOVERNOR HALEY BARBOUR ON THE PASSING OF DR. EUGENE MCLEMORE

Governor Haley Barbour has issued the following statement:

"Dr. Eugene McLemore was a valued member of this Administration and I regretted it when his health required him to retire. Today, I learned of his death, and his loss is a great one for the City of Jackson, Hinds County, and the State of Mississippi that he served so well. Marsha and I extend our deepest sympathies to his family in this difficult time."

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